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DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES

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**Re: Right-to-Know Request No. 2013 – 058**

Dear Mr. Purvis:

On August 30, 2013, the open-records officer of Department of General Services received your written request for information. Department of General Services is responding to your request under the Pennsylvania Right-To-Know Law, 65 P.S. §§ 67.101, *et seq.* (RTKL). You asked for a complete and accurate inventory of all Tavor assault rifles acquired by the Pennsylvania State Capitol Police including all serial numbers and invoices.

Your request is granted in part and denied in part as follows. The records for which access is granted are enclosed. However, the Department of General Services has withheld information that is exempt from disclosure by law, as follows:

We redacted a bank account number and routing number. This information is exempt from disclosure under Section 708(b)(6) (financial information) and 708(b)(11) (confidential proprietary information).

No other information was redacted or withheld.

With regard to the records that were not produced you have a right to appeal this response in writing to Terry Mutchler, Executive Director, Office of Open Records (OOR), Commonwealth Keystone Building, 400 North Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120. If you choose to file an appeal you must do so within 15 business days of the mailing date of this response and send to the OOR:

- 1) this response;
- 2) your request; and
- 3) the reasons: why you think the record is public (a statement of the grounds you assert for the requested record being a public record); and why you think the agency is wrong in its reasons for saying that the record is not public (a



statement that addresses any ground stated by the agency for the denial, which you are challenging). If the agency gave several reasons why the record is not public, state which ones you think were wrong. Also, the OOR has an appeal form available on the OOR website at:  
<https://www.dced.state.pa.us/public/oor/appealformgeneral.pdf>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Troy A. Thompson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Troy A. Thompson  
Agency Open Records Officer